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Offered by:

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To: Subst. Senate Bill No. **1139**

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"AN ACT CONCERNING CHANGES TO PROGRAM APPROVAL FOR INSTITUTIONS OF HIGHER EDUCATION."

- 1 After the last section, add the following and renumber sections and
- 2 internal references accordingly:
- 3 "Sec. 501. Subsection (a) of section 10-3a of the general statutes is
- 4 repealed and the following is substituted in lieu thereof (Effective
- 5 October 1, 2013):
- (a) There shall be a Department of Education which shall serve as 6
- the administrative arm of the State Board of Education. The 7
- 8 department shall be under the direction of the Commissioner of
- Education, [whose appointment shall be recommended to the
- 10 Governor] who shall be appointed by the State Board of Education for
- 11 a term of four years to be coterminous with the term of the Governor.
- 12 [Such appointment shall be in accordance with the provisions of
- 13 sections 4-5 to 4-7, inclusive.] The Commissioner of Education shall be
- 14 the administrative officer of the department and shall administer,
- 15 coordinate and supervise the activities of the department in

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- accordance with the policies established by the board.
- 17 Sec. 502. Section 4-5 of the general statutes is repealed and the
- 18 following is substituted in lieu thereof (*Effective October 1, 2013*):
- 19 As used in sections 4-6, 4-7 and 4-8, the term "department head"
- 20 means Secretary of the Office of Policy and Management,
- 21 Commissioner of Administrative Services, Commissioner of Revenue
- 22 Services, Banking Commissioner, Commissioner of Children and
- 23 Families, Commissioner of Construction Services, Commissioner of
- 24 Consumer Protection, Commissioner of Correction, Commissioner of
- 25 Economic and Community Development, State Board of Education,
- 26 Commissioner of Emergency Services and Public Protection,
- 27 Commissioner of Energy and Environmental Protection,
- 28 Commissioner of Agriculture, Commissioner of Public Health,
- 29 Insurance Commissioner, Labor Commissioner, Liquor Control
- 30 Commission, Commissioner of Mental Health and Addiction Services,
- 31 Commissioner of Social Services, Commissioner of Developmental
- 32 Services, Commissioner of Motor Vehicles, Commissioner of
- 33 Transportation, Commissioner of Veterans' Affairs, Commissioner of
- 34 Housing, Commissioner of Rehabilitation Services and the executive
- 35 director of the Office of Military Affairs. As used in sections 4-6 and 4-
- 36 7, "department head" also means the [Commissioner of Education and
- 37 the president of the Board of Regents for Higher Education."

This act shall take effect as follows and shall amend the following sections:		
Sec. 501	October 1, 2013	10-3a(a)
Sec. 502	October 1 2013	4-5